

Attorney Docket No. T10117.A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Kent S. SORENSON, JR. )  
TITLE: EMPLACEMENT OF )  
TREATMENT AGENTS USING )  
SOIL FRACTURING FOR )  
REMEDICATION OF )  
SUBSURFACE )  
ENVIRONMENTAL ) PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R.  
CONTAMINATION ) \$1.136(a)  
SERIAL NO.: 10/817,163 )  
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EXAMINER: Chester T. Barry )  
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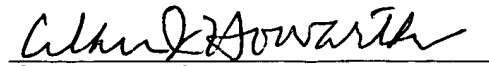
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated March 14, 2006, be extended for three months until September 14, 2006. Submitted herewith pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3), is the fee of \$510 as required. Please charge

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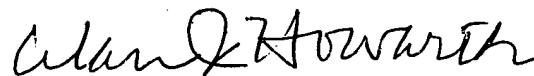
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any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account  
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Also submitted herewith is an Amendment. It is believed that  
entry of the enclosed Amendment will place the application in  
condition for allowance.

DATED this 14<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,



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